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Des Moines Barrel and Drum  
S.E. 19th & Scott  
Des Moines, IA 50317

ATTN: Mr. Virgil Smith

RE: Hazardous Material Complaint Investigation

Gentlemen:

I have enclosed a copy of the inspection report prepared by Ms. Turkle of our regional office staff. We believe you will find the report self-explanatory.

You are currently in violation of the Iowa Administrative Code (IAC 900--64.3(1)). The discharge of wastewater from your property is not permitted by our department. No application is on file requesting such a discharge for your settling pond.

In addition, you are in violation of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) and the Iowa Administrative Code (IAC 900--141.5). These regulations prohibit the generation or storage of hazardous wastes without the proper application and permit authorization by this department and the Environmental Protection Agency.

Because of these violations and problems noted in this report, we believe that a meeting between our staff and you would be beneficial in determining how to resolve these violations and bring your facilities into compliance. We have tentatively scheduled a meeting for April 13, 1984, at 10:00 a.m. in our office at the 5th floor of the Henry Wallace Building, Des Moines, Iowa. If this time and date are inconvenient, please contact this office in order that another meeting time can be arranged.

Sincerely,

FIELD SERVICES DIVISION

*Jack W. Clemens*

Jack W. Clemens, P.E.  
Regional Administrator  
Region No. 5

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cc: Tim O'Connor & Rod Vlieger, Central Assistance Branch

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